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Bryan P. Staker

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For: FOLDED LONGITUDINAL

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APPLICATION FOR PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT CORRECTION

Applicant requests reconsideration of the patent term adjustment, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.705, indicated in the Notice of Allowance dated December 29, 2004, received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO).

The Notice of Allowance indicates a patent term adjustment of 0 days. Applicant submits that this is incorrect. Applicant believes the patent term adjustment should be 574 days. Presented below is Applicant's calculation basis for requesting a patent term adjustment of 574 days (calculated up to March 24, 2005--the date of mailing of this Application for Patent Term Adjustment).

# **Statement Of Facts - 37 C.F.R. § 1.705(b)(2)**

# (i) Correct Patent Term Adjustment and Basis

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The Applicants respectfully submit that the correct patent term adjustment is 574 days.

### (ii) Relevant Dates

As indicated on the PAIR Patent Term Adjustment History, a copy of which is submitted herewith as Exhibit A, the Issue Fee was recorded on April 28, 2003

Applicants submits that a proper and timely response for the payment of the Issue fee payment via facsimile on April 28, 2003 within 3-months of the date of the Notice of Allowance. A copy of the response is enclosed as **Exhibit B**. The documents in **Exhibit B** comprise a Fax Cover Sheet which indicates that the documents were faxed on April 28, 2003. **Exhibit B** also comprises a Transmittal Form with a certification indicating that the documents were filed via facsimile on April 28, 2003. Also attached herewith is an Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission sheet (see **Exhibit C**) received from the USPTO indicating that the faxed documents were received by the USPTO on April 28, 2003.

In light of the above, Applicant submits that a proper and timely response to the Notice of Allowance dated February 11, 2003 was filed on April 28, 2003. The start of the patent adjustment period under 37 C.F.R. § 1.702(a)(4) was April 28, 2003, the date of payment of the issue fee. Accordingly, the delay caused by USPTO in issuing the patent the period from April 28, 2003 to March 24, 2005. Thus the patent term adjustment is the USPTO delay is 574 days, not 0 days as calculated by the USPTO.

## (iii) Terminal Disclaimer

This application is not subject to a terminal disclaimer.

### (iv) Circumstances

There were no circumstances constituting a failure to engage in reasonable efforts to conclude processing or examination of the application.

#### Conclusion

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$200.00 for filing a request for reconsideration of the patent term adjustment as set forth in § 1.18(e), and any other fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-1430.

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09-07-2002	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU			
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